

REMARKS

This Application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Final Office Action mailed June 29, 2006. Applicants respectfully request consideration and favorable action in this Application.

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decisions of the Examiner in the Final Office Action mailed June 29, 2006 finally rejecting Claims 70-92.

This application is filed on behalf of a small entity.

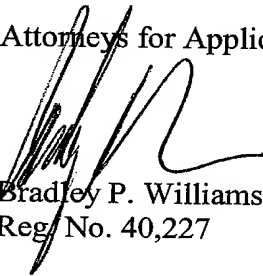
CONCLUSION

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the Notice of Appeal filing fee in the amount of \$250.00 to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 from September 29, 2006 to December 29, 2006. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the extension of time fee in the amount of \$510.00 to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

Should there be a fee discrepancy, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P.

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